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CROSSVILLE CHRONICLE

Crossville, Tenn.—First Monday in February, June and October.
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Wednesday, Mar. 3, 1920.

BE PATIENT

This is the first issue of the Chronicle under the new way of having the matter put into type by the Rockwood Times, the type shipped here and then printed.

As all will readily understand that prevents us from getting last minute stuff into the paper, but we trust all will be as patient as possible with our shortcomings because of the very unfavorable conditions under which we are forced to produce the paper. In time all will be adjusted and matters brought into such shape as will insure a better and very likely a larger paper than formerly.

LABORS THREAT

The American Federation of Labor is riding to a fall as rapidly as possible when it assumes to defeat every congressman or senator at the polls who refuses to do its legislative bidding.

That is a game that two can play at. The non-union public will just as surely vote to defeat the labor representatives as that union labor votes to defeat those who refuse to do their bidding.

It is entirely without reason or even probability that a non-union population, that believes in fair play and real American freedom, will be controlled by a slim minority of one sixth of the whole population.

The main trouble is, the union labor people have been the ones who have made the noise and they have made so much noise that they now feel that they have the power to control this great nation of more than one hundred millions of people. Those who propose to do the controlling are scarcely two millions.

The real source of the trouble comes from the kid-gloved gentry who are the head of the organization and who have not really earned an honest dollar in ten years. They realize that their job will not last long unless they can constantly keep trouble brewing. It is more than passing strange that real honest laborers, and they are far in the majority—cannot see that their leaders are using the mass of the workers for the benefit of the few leaders.

If they persist in their threat, the public will become aroused and will sweep the last labor representative from all legislative halls. The farmers will surely take a strong hand in that part of the job for they realize that organized labor, as now managed, is the worst enemy the farmer has.

Wages of workers in Japanese paper mills are from 24 to 37 cents for a 12 hour day. Whether or not we like the outlook, the time is not far distant when we will have to compete with that kind of labor.

If American labor is kept on the high wage scale that has for many years prevailed in this country, to say nothing of the enormous wages that have been paid for the past few years as the outcome of war conditions, there is only one way to protect American labor: Through a protective tariff. It matters not whether we like it, that is the ultimate condition that faces us as a nation.

The attorney for the company that built the Muscle Shoals nitrate plant says there has been no graft or waste. Erecting large buildings at excessive labor costs and scrapping them for kindling wood in a few weeks to build others and scrap them, keeping up the work along that line for months paying eleven cashiers \$38 a week to look after six cash registers, paying a water boy \$50 a week and numerous other things of similar wasteful nature was neither "waste nor graft."

Oh, no, that was due to "increased freight" and "labor costs," certainly.

"I not only ask, but demand as a matter of right, that every citizen voting shall consider the question at issue from the standpoint of America, and not on the standpoint of any other nation."

How do you like the sound of that? Theodore Roosevelt used these words. Every true American will be in harmony with those words. If he objects or utters a word of remonstrance, he is no true American but is tainted more or less with internationalism, which is another way of saying Bolshevism.

SENATE SWAYED BY YOUTHS

Conspicuous Examples of Precocity
 Furnished by the British Commons,
 the Mother of Parliaments.

For a long time it has been a British boast that the house of commons is the most widely representative of all legislative bodies, since it includes not only all social grades, but numbers among its membership men of all ages, from the mere youth to the octogenarian.

So long ago as the year 1613 there were 40 legislators in the commons who had not attained their twentieth year, and, incredible as it may seem, certain of these were only sixteen years of age.

Edmund Waller, the poet and courtier of Stuart days, was a schoolboy of sixteen when he qualified as a M. P. He was, as Clarendon says, "nursed in parliament," and probably furnished the only instance of a man who could look back upon two-thirds of a century to his debut as a legislator.

Charles James Fox was but nineteen when he was "returned" to parliament for the "pocket borough" of Midhurst. He was not many weeks older when he made one of the finest "maiden speeches" ever heard at Westminster. "I heard it spoken of by everybody as a most extraordinary thing," his father wrote to a friend, "and I am not a little pleased with it."

Chesterfield was a legislator at twenty, when he entered the commons. His first speech is said to have "electrified the house." His triumph was, however, undiminished by the circumstance that as he was not yet of age he was liable to a heavy fine for speaking in the house.

More precocious yet was William Pitt. Although he had passed his twenty-first birthday when Appleby sent him to parliament, he had within a few weeks after the taking of his seat established himself as the keenest debater and the finest speaker in the commons. Upon the conclusion of his "maiden speech" a member of the opposition was reported to have observed to Fox: "Pitt will be one of the first men in parliament." "He is so already," replied Fox.

Pitt was scarcely twenty-three when he was made chancellor of the exchequer. At twenty-four he was prime minister.

Parental Diffidence.

"Does your boy mind when you speak to him?"

"Yes," said Farmer Cornstossel, doubtfully. "But he's got us so impressed with his superior knowledge that we don't often venture to speak to him."

As to Allimony.

"Is there any way a man can avoid paying allimony?" asked the friend who was seeking free advice.

"Sure," replied the lawyer. "He can stay single or stay married."

HAD TERRIBLE SKIN DISEASE

Little Girl Improves Rapidly When Given
 ZIRON Iron Tonic.

Many mothers try one remedy after another, for the sufferings of their little ones, without apparently being able to find the right one. If anything seems wrong with the blood, or stomach, or if the child's system is run-down and needs strengthening, you may benefit by the experience of this Westmoreland, Tenn., mother, Mrs. John P. Angle, who writes:

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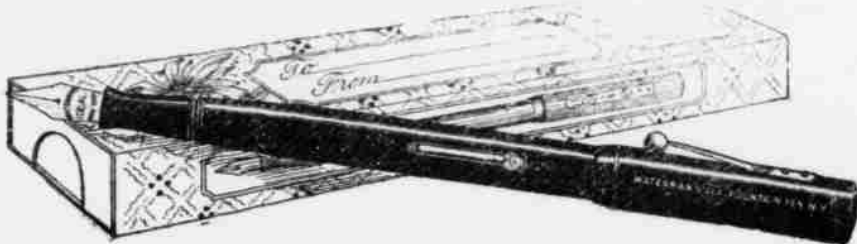
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BILBREY BROTHERS

GREAT IS FEBRUARY

The month of February has passed into history and there is no likelihood that any person now living will see another like it.

All realize it is the month in which comes the birthday of two of the greatest men this nation ever produced: Abraham Lincoln and George Washington whose birthdays fell on February 12 and 22 respectively. It also

had 29 days, this being leap year. But there is one other feature: It had five Sundays, which may not happen again in a hundred years. And again it is the month of groundhog day. Many people will charge the groundhog with the severe weather we have been having for a few weeks just because the innocent little animal came out and saw his shadow February 2. Great is February.

MILLIONS NEED PEPTO-MANGAN

In Many Homes Better Health Is Simply
 a Matter of Better Blood.

PEPTO-MANGAN IMPROVES BLOOD

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 and Tablet Form.

Are you tired and weak and "blue?" Do you say to yourself, "What's the use of living? What do I get out of life, dragging through this drab existence in this unhappy way?"

You don't feel well and you don't know why you have so little energy to do anything, and you get all tired out before it is done. There are millions in busy America that have such feelings now and then and they are to be pitied. But there is help. Unless some serious malady is at the bottom of their trouble, a few weeks of Pepto Mangan will work a wonderful change. Pepto-Mangan puts new vigor into the blood, and the blood is the life fluid. With plenty of rich, red blood coursing through one's body one is likely to feel good and vigorous and be strong and look hearty.

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PLEASANT HILL ACADEMY

The brightness and beauty of this first day of March promises well for the re-commencement of the term, interrupted by the influenza. The pupils have already begun to return, and 'tis hoped that evening will see the majority back in their places, ready to begin school tomorrow.

History Gardens.

Gardens in Japan are laid out so as to suggest scenes in Japanese history. Miniature landscapes are arranged so as to recall well-known spots in history, and suggest the events that have taken place there.

CONVENTION CALL

The resolutions of Cumberland county are hereby called to meet in mass convention in the court house, Crossville, Tenn., at 11 a. m., Saturday, March 27, for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to the republican national convention to be held in Chicago, Ill., June 8, to instruct for one elector for this congressional district, to name delegates to the congressional convention for the Fourth district to be held at Crossville, Tenn., at 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, March 29, delegates to the state convention, that convenes in Chattanooga, April 13, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said mass convention.

This February 17, 1920.

A. L. Garrison, Chairman,
 S. C. Bishop, Secretary.

TO THE HEIRS OF MARY HEDGECOTH FORD, DECEASED, WHO LIVE IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

B. H. Powers

vs.

Delmer Ford, et als.

In the County Court at Crossville, Cumberland County, Tennessee.

It appearing by the petition in this cause, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Delmer Ford, Mary A. Ford Gray and husband, Fred Gray; Maude Ford Rainwater and husband, Alvin Rainwater; Ethel Ford Barnett and

Nathan Barnett; S. A. Ford,

husband; Lillian Ford; Fanny Ford

Laneas Ford; Ruth Ford; Joe Ford;

Coakley Ford; Nannie Ford; Pearlina

Nevina Ford; and William Ford,

Ford, Elmas Ford, and William Ford,

are non-residents of Tennessee, it is

ordered that publication be made for

four consecutive weeks, in the Cross-

ville Chronicle, a weekly newspaper

published in Cumberland county, Ten-

nessee, requiring them to make de-

fense to said petition on or before

the first Monday in April, 1920, or the

allegations of the same will be taken

as confessed and the same set for

hearing ex-parte as to them.

This February 28, 1920.

W. D. HEDGECOTH
 Clerk of said Court.

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